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Walz STB Amendment

The Walz Amendment directs the Secretary of Agriculture to participate in the activities of the Surface Transportation Board (STB) on behalf of the interests of agriculture and rural America.

AMENDMENT TO FARM BILL, H.R. 6083 OFFERED BY MR. WALZ OF MINNESOTA

At the end of title VI, add the following new section:

- 1 SEC. 6206. AGRICULTURAL TRANSPORTATION POLICY.
- 2 The Secretary of Agriculture shall participate on be-
- 3 half of the interests of agriculture and rural America in
- 4 all policy development proceedings or other proceedings of
- 5 the Surface Transportation Board that may establish
- 6 freight rail transportation policy affecting agriculture and
- 7 rural America.

